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Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
IMAGE CAPTURING APPARATUS, AND METHOD  
OF DISPLAY-CONTROL THEREOF  
By: Masahito NIIKAWA, and Toshiyuki TANAKA  
Attorney Docket: 15162/02890

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to IMAGE CAPTURING APPARATUS, AND METHOD OF DISPLAY-CONTROL THEREOF, Masahito NIIKAWA and Toshiyuki TANAKA, inventors:

- (1) Specification (26 pages, including 13 claims and an abstract);
- (2) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pages);
- (3) Formal Drawings (15 sheets);
- (4) Transmittal letter (1 page) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (2 pages);
- (5) Assignment (2 pages) of the invention to MINOLTA CO., LTD., with attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet (1 page - in duplicate);
- (6) Transmittal letter (1 page) with Certified Copy of Priority Document (43 pages); and
- (7) Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) with attached PTO-1449 form (1 page) and copies of the cited references (2 references).

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Respectfully submitted,

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